PATENT APPLICATION

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In re Application of:

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For: DNA ENCODING CYTOKINE DESIGNATED

LERK-6

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This Supplemental Amendment supplements the Amendment filed January 21, 2000, in the above-identified application.

The Patent Office is authorized to charge any fees necessary for the continued pendency of the above-identified application to our Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Accordingly, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 2-4, 13-15, 17-19 and 21-23.

Please add the following new claims:

-- Claim 24. An isolated DNA molecule encoding a LERK-6 polypeptide that binds hek/elk, wherein said polypeptide comprises amino acids 1 to 184 of SEQ ID NO:2.

Claim 25. An isolated DNA molecule encoding a LERK-6 polypeptide that binds hek/elk, wherein said polypeptide comprises amino acids 1 to 145 of SEQ ID NO:2.